CIRCULAR,

To the Ministers and Members of the Presbyterian Churches and Congregations in N. Carolina.

The Editorial corps of the "North Carolina Presbyterian' is now complete, by the unanimous election of B. Fuller, Esq., of the Fayetteville Bar, as Associate Editor.

It is our earnest desire that the first number shall be issued by the 1st Jan'y next, and we choose that time, instead of an earlier day, because the existence of the Paper will then commence with that of the New Year, and it will be more convenient for many to begin their subscriptions at that period.

2500 subscribers will be necessary to enable us to publish the paper without loss: that number should and can be secured by the time indicated above. Our Synod can easily afford 8000 subscribers; indeed a larger number could be obtained with but little exertion or sacrifice, if all those to whom this Circular is addressed will but come up to our help and lend us their hearty co-operation.

About 1500 names are already on our list, and we are confident that hundreds of others are only waiting an opportunity to subscribe. We desire through this medium to afford that opportunity; and, to that end, we earnestly request that you will use your influence to induce your friends and neighbors to send on their names.

A large circulation not only extends the field of usefulness, but affords the means of greatly enhancing the *value* of the paper to its readers and to the Church; and we are well convinced that a personal, direct appeal to their love for our common Church and State is all that they need.

We would respectfully call the attention of Pastors to the recommendation of Synod in this behalf, and urge upon them the importance of an early action in the matter. A word of encouragement and solicitation from them will accomplish more than much effort on the part of others, as our present list of subscribers abundantly testifies.

The terms are very low: the paper is to be of large size, and in all respects we believe will give ample satisfaction. The Church in our State greatly needs a journal of this kind, and there are abundant facilities for supplying this want, now sorely felt.

The Ruling Elders and private Church members can do much, very much, for our support and encouragement. It is indeed but an intensification and wide diffusion of individual effort that we contemplate, and if we shall succeed—(and failure is impossible if we work in the right spirit,)—many who now mourn over the waste and desolate places in our Zion, will find matter for rejoicing, when they see her by this means again clothed in the freshness of a vigorous and healthy existence.

Many, who in their despondency now regard the Church as inefficient, will leap for joy at beholding her "arise and shine, her light having come, and the beauty of the Lord having risen upon her."

Will you not then urge this matter as one in which you have a *personal* interest? *We* shall be encouraged to find our hands thus upheld, and *you* will be rewared by the consciousness of having used your endeavors in the right direction.

Please forward the names of new subscribers to us at Fayetteville, N. C.

By order of the Ex. Com.

GEORGE McNEILL, Sr., Chairman.

Nov'r 5th, 1857.

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Fayetteville Nov 9th 1857

Dear Sir -

The Executive Committee of the N. C. Presbyterian have acted promptly upon the matter referred to them by the meeting of Stockholders in Charlotte - They have determined for the present not to buy a presp. but to have the publishing done by Mr Hale - They have ordered type from New York and to meet the payments have called for an assessment of 25 per cent which you will please forward as soon as possible as we desire to be in complete working order by 15th Dec next -

Hoping that your interest in the paper continues unabated; and indeed hoping that your zeal in the cause is rather stimulated and increased, and hoping above all that your personal influence will be used, and your prayers be directed to him who alone can give success for His blessing and guidance and support -

I am most truly
Your Obt
Rich'd Tyler

Rev C. H. Wiley
Greensboro
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